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Attached are copies of search report(s) from corresponding patent application(s), which are listed on the attached Submission Under MPEP 609 D.

Applicant further wishes to bring to the Examiner's attention that Applicant submitted a SNDA to the FDA for the use of MOTRIN Migraine ibuprofen product to treat migraines, and the FDA found the SNDA not approvable on 3 December 1999. Subsequently, McNeil obtained approval for the use of the MOTRIN Migraine ibuprofen product for the "treatment of migraine pain."

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